**Unit 5 – Latin America Civilizations**

Each of the following terms or concepts will be on your unit exam. You are allowed to have one hand written 3X5 notecard (front and back) on this exam. You will be required to show this notecard to me ahead of time so I can make sure it meets these parameters.

**Terms and Concepts to Understand**

Migration from Europe to Americas

Olmec

LA geography

Mesoamerican Ball Game

Maya (Ancient)

* Technological advancements
* Kings/societal structure
* Architecture
  + Tikal
  + Palenque
* Blood sacrifices
* Writing
* Calendar

Aztec (Ancient)

* Class structure
* Government
* Purpose of sacrifice
* Myth of Quetzlcoatl
* Flower Wars
* Story of Tenochtitlan

Inca

* Challenges of geography
* Expansion
* Pachacuti Inca Ypanqui
* Cuzco
* System of roads
  + Chasqui
  + Tambo
* Quipu
* Quecha
* Mita
* Government
  + Socialism
* Farming techniques
* Machu Picchu

European Expansion

* Motives
* Technology

Conquistadors

* What they had that made them successful
* Francisco Pizarro
* Hernan Cortez
* Fall of the Aztec
* Fall of the Inca
* Perspectives from
  + Born in Blood and Fire
  + The class textbook
  + Jared Diamond’s Guns, Germs, and Steel
* Encomienda System
  + Viceroy
  + Peninsulares
  + Creoles
  + Mestizos
  + Mulattoes

Triangular Trade

Mercantilism

Columbian Exchange

Fighting Fake News

* Foreign Policy
  + Economic
  + Inflation
  + Trade Deficit
  + Maduro
  + Chavez
  + Political
  + Wilsonian v Realpolitik
  + US Foreign Policy